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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF STATUS AS SMALL ENTITY
(37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2))

1. Applicant asserted small entity status on the applications listed on Attachment A, on the dates listed on Attachment A, by payment of the basic filing fee as a small entity (37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)(3)).
2. Applicant hereby notifies the Office, in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2), that it no longer has status as a small entity.

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08/031218	10/17/2000	Granted	6/13/2003	6662040	6259-00100USC1	Spiral Fixation System	Erik J. Wagner	008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97
08/031756	6/9/1998	Granted	10/17/2000	6132430	6259-00100USD1	Spiral Fixation System	Erik J. Wagner	008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97
08/034324	11/4/1999	Filed			6259-00100USD2	Method and Apparatus for Spiral Fixation	Erik J. Wagner	008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97
08/740123	10/24/1998	Granted	7/9/2002	6416515	6259-00100USC1	Spiral Fixation System	Erik J. Wagner	008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97
08/942325	10/11/1997	Granted	7/22/2003	6559992	6259-00100USP1	Method and Apparatus for Spiral Fixation	Erik J. Wagner	008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97
08/026711	2/20/1998	Granted	11/23/1999	5988250	6259-00100USP2	Spiral Fixation	Erik J. Wagner	008359/0658 Recorded 1/21/97
09/605200	6/27/2000	Granted	6/10/2003	6578016	6259-00200USC1	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	Stephen Houchschuler	008603/0209 Recorded 1/21/97
09/153178	8/15/1998	Granted	6/27/2000	6080193	6259-00200USD1	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	Stephen Houchschuler	008603/0209 Recorded 1/21/97
09/847172	6/11/1997	Granted	4/4/2000	6045579	6259-00200USC1	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	Stephen Houchschuler	008603/0209 Recorded 1/21/97
09/046769	3/24/1998	Granted	11/4/2003	6641814	6259-00200USP1	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	Erik J. Wagner	008442/0648 Recorded 8/31/98
09/070116	4/30/1998	Granted	3/16/2004	6706070	6259-00200USP2	Adjustable Height Fusion Device	Erik J. Wagner	008442/0648 Recorded 8/31/98
09/211987	12/15/1998	Granted	8/10/1999	5695133	6259-00500USD1	Surgical Cable System and Method	Erik J. Wagner	008985/0594 Recorded 2/9/98
09/211888	12/15/1998	Granted	5/21/2002	6391030	6259-00500USD2	Surgical Cable System and Method	Erik J. Wagner	008985/0594 Recorded 2/9/98
08/818127	6/28/1997	Granted	10/12/1999	5994789	6259-00500USC1	Surgical Cable System and Method	Erik J. Wagner	008985/0594 Recorded 2/9/98
09/086188	5/28/1998	Granted	4/25/2000	6053921	6259-00500USP1	Surgical Cable System and Method	Erik J. Wagner	008985/0594 Recorded 2/9/98
09/280062	7/23/1999	Granted	11/27/2004	6882533	6259-00500USP2	Surgical Cable System and Method	Erik J. Wagner	008985/0594 Recorded 2/9/98

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Patent No.	Filing Date	Pub. No.	Pub. Date	Int. Class.	IPC Class.	System and Method for	Inventor	Recorded Date
0038012	12/28/2001	Filed			5258-00600USC1	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Erik J. Wagner	009450/0947 Recorded 8/11/98
08/085027	8/21/1998	Granted	9/24/2002		5258-00800USP1	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Erik J. Wagner	009450/0947 Recorded 8/11/98
09/085280	6/10/1998	Granted	2/29/2000		5259-00600USP2	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Erik J. Wagner	009450/0859 Recorded 9/11/98
08/86281	7/18/1997	Granted	7/27/1999		5259-00700USC1	Pedicle Probe and Depth Gauge	Richard D. Guyer	008932/0169 Recorded 1/30/98
08/265005	6/23/1994	Granted	4/18/1998		5259-01000USC1	Releasable Socket	Erik J. Wagner	
08/159303	8/23/1998	Granted	11/14/2000		5259-01200USC1	Orthopedic Cervical Stabilization System and Method	John R. Hurlbert	009866/70352 Recorded 12/23/98
09/070323	4/30/1998	Granted	8/8/2000		5259-01300USC1	Bone Protector and Method	Stephen Houschuler	009650/0211 Recorded 11/8/98
08/059182	4/13/1998	Granted	6/16/2000		5259-02100USC1	Side Mounted Polyaxial Pedicle Screw	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/772407	12/23/1996	Granted	7/7/1998		5259-02100USC1	Pedicle Screw	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
09/059108	4/13/1998	Granted	10/31/2000		5259-02200USC1	Sliding Shaft Variable Length Cross-Link Device for Use with Dual Rod Apparatus	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/549877	10/30/1995	Granted	9/19/1998		5259-02200USC1	Sliding Shaft Variable Length Cross-Link Device for Use with Dual Rod Apparatus	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
09/070234	4/30/1998	Granted	10/5/1999		5259-02300USC1	Polyaxial Pedicle Screw Having a Through Bar Clamping Locking Mechanism	Joseph P. Errico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98

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08/261977	3/4/1999	Granted	1/25/2000	6017344	5259-02300USD1	Polyaxial Pedicle Screw Having a Through Bar Clamp Locking Mechanism	Joseph P. Erlico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/56773	5/15/1997	Granted	7/28/1998	5765711	5259-02300USO1	Polyaxial Pedicle Screw Having a Through Bar Clamp Locking Mechanism	Joseph P. Erlico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/890810	6/23/1997	Granted	9/22/1998	5810819	5259-02300USP1	Polyaxial Pedicle Screw Having a Compression Locking Rod Gripping Mechanism	Joseph P. Erlico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
09/070268	4/30/1998	Granted	12/7/1999	5697539	5259-02300USP2	Polyaxial Pedicle Screw Having a Compression Locking Rod Gripping Mechanism	Joseph P. Erlico	009275/0021 Recorded 6/30/98
08/622891	3/29/1998	Granted	8/5/1997	5653783	5259-02300USO1	Intervertebral Space Shaps Conforming Cage Device	Joseph P. Erlico	009480/0692 Recorded 10/15/98
08/567144	12/4/1995	Granted	9/16/1997	5667507	5259-02800USO1	Compression Locking Variable Length Cross-Link Device for Use with Dual Rod Apparatus	James P. Erlico	9490/0692 Recorded 10/5/98
08/632861	4/15/1996	Granted	1/20/1998	5709694	5259-02800USP1	Advanced Compression Locking Variable Length Cross-Link Device	Joseph P. Erlico	9490/0692 Recorded 10/5/98
08/228287	1/13/1999	Granted	9/26/2000	6128707	5259-03000USO1	Reduction Instrument	Erik J. Wagner	009840/0875 Recorded 3/2/99
08/298269	4/23/1998	Granted	8/3/2002	6442814	5259-03100USO1	Apparatus for Manufacturing a Bone Dowel	Erik J. Wagner	010085/0138 Recorded 7/12/99
09/389964	8/6/1998	Granted	5/6/2003	6557226	5259-03100USP1	Apparatus for Manufacturing a Bone Dowel	Erik J. Wagner	010347/0747 Recorded 10/29/99
09/532387	3/22/2000	Granted	5/20/2003	6565655	5259-03600USO1	Sacral Screw Assembly and Method	Erik J. Wagner	010730/0752 Recorded 6/13/00

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09/015208	11/19/2001	Filed			System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Jim Freid	01/07/32/04/3 Recorded 4/20/00
09/479468	1/6/2000	Granted	12/18/2001	6331178	System and Method for Stabilizing the Human Spine with a Bone Plate	Jim Freid	01/07/32/04/3 Recorded 4/20/00
09/981758	8/24/2001	Granted	9/8/2003	6816671	Instrument and Method for Implanting an Interbody Fusion Device	Michael E. Landry	01/07/65/03/03 Recorded 5/5/00
09/478923	1/6/2000	Granted	8/10/2002	6447512	Instrument and Method for Implanting an Interbody Fusion Device	Michael E. Landry	01/07/65/03/03 Recorded 5/5/00
09/766183	7/5/2001	Granted	2/25/2003	6524312	Instrumentation and Procedure for Implanting Spinal Implant Devices	Michael E. Landry	01/20/32/02/83 Recorded 7/31/01
10/387328	3/11/2003	Filed			Instrumentation and Procedure for Implanting Spinal Implant Devices	Michael E. Landry	01/30/50/02/28 Recorded 5/23/02
10/387363	3/11/2003	Filed			Instrumentation and Procedure for Implanting Spinal Implant Devices	Michael E. Landry	01/40/30/07/94 Recorded 8/13/03
10/387361	3/11/2003	Filed			Spinal Implant Including a Compressible Connector	Michael E. Landry	01/43/33/07/46 Recorded 8/11/03
08/952209	8/7/22/2001	Granted	8/8/2004	6748448	Spinal Rod Translation Instrument	Robert J. Jones	01/25/57/07/40 Recorded 1/30/02
09/894628	10/6/2000	Filed			Transverse Connector with Cam Activated Engagers	Grady G. McBride	01/15/15/08/94 Recorded 2/12/01
09/894218	10/6/2000	Filed			Adjustable Transverse Connector	Grady G. McBride	01/15/15/08/94 Recorded 2/12/01
09/8980766	10/6/2000	Filed			Adjustable Transverse Connector with Cam Activated Engagers	Grady G. McBride	01/15/15/08/94 Recorded 2/12/01
10/337218	1/8/2003	Filed			Surgical Implants for Use as Spinal Spacers	David J. Krueger	01/15/15/08/94 Recorded 2/12/01

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7200024	7/19/2002	Filed	6259-07900USO1	Spinal Stabilization System and Method	Margaret E. Mitchell	013449/0035 Recorded 10/29/02
10291245	11/8/2002	Filed	6259-08300USO1	Spinal Implant	Javier Garcia-Benchoa	013796/0202 Recorded 2/24/03
10291223	11/8/2002	Filed	6259-08300USO2	Instruments and Methods for Inserting a Spinal Implant	Javier Garcia-Benchoa	013796/0320 Recorded 2/24/03
102958391	1/31/2003	Filed	6259-09200USO1	Spinal Plate Extender System and Method	Jim Freid	014181/0807 Recorded 6/16/03
10351283	1/23/2003	Filed	6259-09900USO1	Spinal Plate System for Stabilizing a Portion of a Spine	Jim Freid	014397/0674 Recorded 8/14/03
10351288	1/24/2003	Filed	6259-09900USO2	Spinal Plate System for Stabilizing a Portion of a Spine	Jim Freid	014302/0118 Recorded 7/15/03
29165057	2/1/2002	Filed	6259-10000USO1	Extension Plate	Jim Freid Reginald J. Davis	012823/0548 Recorded 4/22/02
10035052	12/28/2001	Granted	6259-12300USO1	Pseudo Arthritis Device	Reginald J. Davis	
10291181	12/27/2002	Filed	6259-12300USP1	Pseudo Arthritis Device	Reginald J. Davis	014164/0207 Recorded 6/12/03